

North Carolina
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Division of Waste Management

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July 24, 2002

Mr. Ken Westmoreland, County Manager
County of Jackson
401 Grindstaff Cove Road
Sylva, North Carolina 28779

RE: Closure of the Jackson County C&D Disposal Area atop the closed, unlined MSW
Landfill, Permit #50-02.

Dear Mr. Westmoreland:

The Solid Waste Section (the Section) has received and reviewed documentation submitted by your consultants, Altamont Environmental, Inc. and Caliber Engineering Consultants, on your behalf regarding the closure of the above referenced facility. The Section hereby approves the closure plan based on the drawings and specifications submitted on 1 May 2002. This determination may be rescinded should any of the documentation prove to be inaccurate.

In a separate letter dated 17 June 2002, Altamont Environmental, Inc. requested an extension on your behalf of the closure deadline from June 19, 2002 to December 19, 2002. The Section hereby approves an extension but only until September 30, 2002. This earlier date will hopefully allow Jackson County to complete construction of the closure cap in time to establish a vegetative cover over the cap before winter. Once the closure construction has been completed, please submit documentation demonstrating that the cap has been constructed according to the approved plan.

If there are questions regarding this letter please contact Tim Jewett, Western Area Engineer, at (336) 771-4608 ext. 204.

Sincerely,

James C. Coffey

Section Chief

Solid Waste Section

cc: Brent Rockett, SWS Jim Patterson, SWS
Heather Hyatt, Jackson County John Mueller, Altamont Environmental, Inc.
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